

TOWN OF DAVIE TOWN COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

TO: Mayor and Council Members

FROM/PHONE: Colleen Ryan, (954) 797-1024

SUBJECT: Resolution

AFFECTED DISTRICT: All Districts

TITLE OF AGENDA ITEM: A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE APPLICATION, ACCEPTANCE, AND IMPLEMENTATION OF AN \$82,000 GRANT FROM THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS, EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT, PREPAREDNESS AND ASSISTANCE TRUST FUND FOR EMERGENCY SHELTER SYSTEMS, A MOBILE STORAGE TRAILER, AND A TOW VEHICLE.

REPORT IN BRIEF: The Emergency Management Competitive Grant Program of the Emergency Management, Preparedness and Assistance Trust Fund (EMPATF) provides grants to implement projects that further state and local emergency management objectives. The Town is requesting funding to purchase 12 emergency shelter systems that can each house approximately 45 people in the event of a disaster or can serve as a command center for emergency operations. The Town is also seeking funding for a mobile trailer to store and transport the shelters and a heavy-duty vehicle to tow/transport them to the emergency site. This is a joint proposal being submitted by the Police and Fire Rescue Departments to improve the Town's emergency preparedness. Matching funds are not required for this application.

PREVIOUS ACTIONS: N/A

CONCURRENCES: N/A

FISCAL IMPACT:

Has request been budgeted? N/A

If yes, expected cost:

Account Name:

If no, amount needed:

What account will funds be appropriated from:

RECOMMENDATION(S): Motion to approve this resolution

Attachment(s): Resolution

RESOLUTION _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE APPLICATION, ACCEPTANCE, AND IMPLEMENTATION OF AN \$82,000 GRANT FROM THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS, EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT, PREPAREDNESS AND ASSISTANCE TRUST FUND FOR EMERGENCY SHELTER SYSTEMS, A MOBILE STORAGE TRAILER, AND A TOW VEHICLE.

WHEREAS, the Emergency Management Competitive Grant Program of the Emergency Management, Preparedness and Assistance Trust Fund provides grants for projects that further state and local emergency management objectives; and

WHEREAS, Davie Fire-Rescue and the Davie Police Department have identified the need to increase the Town's capacity to provide emergency housing in the event of a disaster; and

WHEREAS, shelter systems can house significant numbers of people and can be quickly dispatched and assembled in an emergency; and

WHEREAS, this project is consistent with the Broward County Local Mitigation Strategy and has been placed on the prioritized countywide mitigation project list.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA.

SECTION 1. The Town Council of the Town of Davie hereby approves the Town Administrator and/or appropriate staff to submit an application for grant funding to the Florida Department of Community Affairs, Division of Emergency Management to enhance the Town's emergency preparedness and response capacity through the acquisition of emergency shelter systems, a mobile storage trailer, and a tow vehicle.

SECTION 2. The Town Council hereby authorizes the Town Administrator and/or appropriate staff to accept and implement the grant if awarded.

SECTION 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2003.

MAYOR/COUNCILMEMBER

ATTEST:

TOWN CLERK

APPROVED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2002